(Correspondence of the Public Ledger, Nov. 19.] U. S. S. POWHATAN, Simoda, August 1, 1858.

When I closed No. 13, at Nagasaki, I expressed the hope that I should write again from this place. Arrived here, we find so much that is both important and interesting that I caunot hope to press it into anything under two or three letters. Let me therefore commence

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We arrived from Nagasaki on the 25th ult., after a passage of sixty-seven hours. The distance is over 600 miles. We found the Mississippi at anchor in the inner habor, and came to near her, hoping for a few days of quet and long walks back into the country. Our anchor was scarcely down, however, when the captain of the Mississippi pulled along-side, bringing with him our consult squared. Mr. Townsend Harris, and his secretary, Mr. Henry Hucskin. The consul was at once closeted with the commodors, and, after an hour or so, it began to be whispered around that we were to leave in two days for Yeddo bay, and possibly for Yeddo teself. This was great news, and we talked grandly for some hours as to how long we would remain at Yeddo, &c., until suddenly another whisper passed around, to the effect that we were only going to Kanagawa to talk about a new treaty. Kanagawa is seventeen miles this side of Yeddo, and, as we could not land there, our trip did not promise to be so grand after all. We therefore lit cigars and tried to blow away our disappointment in smoke. In the meantime we had been boarded by several boatloads of Japanese officials, who were equally sociable and hail fellow well met, as had been those of Nagasaki. We gave them sherry and Constantia to their hearts' content, and, after the had made out a list of all the fresh provisions that well met, as had been those of Nagasaki. We gave them sherry and Constantia to their hearts' content, and, after they had made out a list of all the fresh provisions that we desired, saw them into their boats and bowed them a polite adicu. After dinner a party of us dropped on shore for a Sunday evening walk, and among other places visited the bazzar, where everything Japanese was collected for sale. It being Sunday, we admired them and

passed.

It is now two years since we sent our first consul to Japan, in accordance with a provision of the treaty of Kanagawa, made in 1854—5 by Commodore Perry. He was brought here by the United States steamer San Jucinto, and "left alone in his glory" to the infinite disgust of the authorities, who told him to go away for a year, and then come back, by which time they should have a house built for him. Being thus unavoidably left upon their hands, they made the best of a bad bargain, however, gave him a large temple to live in, servants to attend upon him, supplied him with everything in the Japanese eating line, and finally began to look upon him and his secretary as rather pleasant additions to their society. Messrs. Harris and Hueskin now began to look around them for amusement. They found the golden pheasant pleutiful among the neighboring hills, and, when satiated with gunning and long walks, the former turned his eye in the direction of Yeddo. After a while he received permission to visit that city in his official capacity, and the first thing that we know he has obtained the signing of an important convention, and is again, at Simoda. This convention was published in the United States in January of this year, and so I shall let it pass. The manner in which Mr. H. and his secretary went to Yeddo is interesting. The Emperor sent him a body guard of one hundred and twenty men, and had comfortable houses put up along the road for him to pass the nights in. He also sent him a large sedan chair, carried by 12 bearens, and so roomy that he put a mattress into it, and reclined at full length when he was tired of sitting. It is only about 70 miles from this place to Yeddo, but the country is so rugged and the roads so bad the first part of the way that they were seven days in accomplishing the distance. Every night facy stopped at one of the comfortable houses which had been prepared expressly upon his accomposition quarters, treated with the greatest respect and attention, and granted interviews with the Empe assed.

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"Certainly not!" and an increase of gravity in the consular face. Corresponding increase of nervousness on the part of Douglass. Grand tableau, in which the American eagle is supposed to dominate. Final desperation of Douglass, and outbursting of the secret.

Mr. Harris listened quietly and kindly to all he had to say, and then replied with his usual judgment and firmness of manner. He told him that he was anxious to do creything that was consistent with self-respect to do honor to the Emperor, but that this thing was out of the question, and had better not be referred to again. "Were Njon to send a minister to my country," he said, "he might approach our President in any manner he saw fit. He might kneed and knock his head against the floor, or he might bow to him and shake hands. There we allow every one perfect liberty: and it is but right, therefore, that I be allowed the same here." "Very well!" very well!" replied Douglass, half apol-

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"Very well! very well!" replied Douglass, half apologically. And thus was settled this question "forever!"

I have a been twice to " ed by the San Jacinto, and remained some three months each time. He speaks in most flattering terms of the primitive simplicity of the imperial habits, of the absence primitive simplicity of the imperial habits, or the assence of everything like magnificance about his palace, and of the general kindness and good feeling evinced by alt classes toward him. He mentioned the case of one old lady in particular, who was even now engaged in the motherly task of making him some wadded slik shirts, to protect him from the approaching winter. These acts are trivial, but they indicate very plainly the nature of Japanese feelmy towards Americans. Even the Emperor has loaded him down with kindness. When he was lying sick at this place a special messenger arrived daily from Yeddo to ask after his health, and to bring him some present, expressive of the interest that was felt for his recovery. The imperial doctor was also sent to attend upon him. Such things as these have never before been known in such things as these have never before been known in the history of Japan. Our able consul-general has a very poor opinion about the majority of books which have been written about this country. "When"—he queries— "when will writers learn to write only that which they "when will writers learn to write only that which they see! A man has no need of imagination here—truth is strong enough! We live in a world of romance, simply because (referring to writers in general) the truth is not in them!" He, however, speaks in the highest terms of Commodore Perry's course while out here, and mentioned many good results which are now flowing from it. "He was a man of creat good independent and accompalished as many good results which are now howing from the was a man of great good judgment, and accomplished as much as any one could possibly have done under the circumstances." He said, "upon one occasion I thought differently myself, but accepted his judgment as more likely to be correct (through personal observation) than

likely to be correct (through personal observation) than my own,"

Speaking of Commodore Perry, I asked him how the Japanese had treated the expensive presents which that dieer had presented them, on the part of the government, three or four years back.

"Well, I know I'm going to surprise you now," he rolled. "You know that Commodore Perry gave them, among other things, a circular railroad, an engine and lender, and a brass boat-howitzer—one of the Dahlgren guas. They have a large house built for the safe keeping of this railroad, and every now and then take it out and hy the track, get up steam, and then away go a dozen or more high officers upon a circular pleasure trip. Journal of the discharge of their duty. I suppose that they will soon have a track laid from Kanagawa to Yeddo, but I doubt if the railroad will pay in any other part of Japan; they have had one thousand cast exactly like it, and mounted them in the forts of their different ports, and mow here is something else that will surprise you. Ilpon both fourths of July that I have passed here, and lawe upon Washington's birth-day, they fired a sainte of the city wishes to attend one of them, he must take some foot exercise before being able to do so. I say that he must walk, for no one but the princes in Japan are allowed to ride, as a general rule, and they must ride, either in a chair or on horseback, as they choose. In the latter case, the horse is led by a groom on each the latter take, the horse is led by a groom on each land, and is never allowed to go out of a walk. While passing by these theatres, Mr. H. expressed a wish to attend a performance, but the latter rise, the horse is led by a groom on each land, and is never allowed to go out of a walk. While passing by these theatres, Mr. H. expressed a wish to attend a performance, but had a here were allowed to go out of a walk. While passing by these theatres, Mr. H. expressed a wish to attend a performance, but his lattention, and a principal case of the first principal case. If the noblinty

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the string was fastened near the door, so that this was almost a repetition of the self-winding feat.

But feat No. 4 was something even more astonishing than all this. He took two paper butterflies, armed himself with the usual paper fan, threw them into the air, and fanning gently, kept them flying about him as if they had been alive.

"He can make them alight whenever you wish! Try him!" remarked the kami (prince) through the interpreter.

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Mr. H—— requested that one might alight upon each Mr. H.— requested that one might angut upon each ear of the juggler. No sooner expressed than compiled with. Gentle undulations of the fan waved them slowly to the required points, and there left them comfortably seated. Now, whether this command over pieces of paper was obtained simply by currents of air, or by the power of a concealed magnet, Mr. H—— could not tell or ascertain. One thing however was certain—the power trees there.

Let us turn from jugglers to theatres. It seems that there are only four of the latter in Yeddo, and that they are all alongside of each other. Hence, if a Japaness on the edge of the city wishes to attend one of them, he must take some foot exercise before being able to do so. I say that he must walk, for no one but the princes in

houses of Japan."

I expect that the "world of mariners" would like to know if fresh provisious are yet to be obtained in Japan. The answer is—yes, as much as you want. At Hakodadi fresh beef, Irish potatoes, buckwheat and wheat flour, fine fresh salmon, &c. At Simoda, chickens, eggs, fish, sweet potatoes, rice, &c. And at Nagasaki the same as at Simoda, as well as a few foreign articles through the beather of the United States. 'My kar sirs,' I replied, 'do not ask this as a favor; it is your

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## CITY INTELLIGENCE.

CORPORATION OF WASHINGTON.

Board of Alberman—Mondoy, Nov. 22.—The board met pursuant to adjournment. W. T. Doys, esq., president, in the chair.

A communication was received from the Mayor announcing his having signed certain acts.

Mr. Thomas Miller, from the improvements committee, reported a bill for the relief of Thomas W. Burch; which was read three times and passed.

Mr. Duxnixorov, on leave, introduced a bill making an appropriation to repair damage done on C street south, between New Jersey avenue and 1st street cast; which was read three times and passful.

Mr. Buown, from the claims committee, reported adversely on the petitions of Humphreys & Juenemann, and of Daniel Collins, asking to be discharged; which was agreed to.

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Mr. Pranson, from the claims committee, reported the bill from the lower board for the relief of Elizabeth Ferguson, with an amendment; which was agreed to, and the bill was passed.

Mr. Fransa, from the committee on the fire department, reported adversely on the petition of William M. Ives, of Baltimore, praying to be paid for repairs to the apparatus of the Northern Libertles Fire Company; and the committee were discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

On motion of Mr. F., the board proceeded to the consideration of the joint resolution granting the use of the western portion of Judiciary Square to the Metropolitan Mechanics Institute. An amendment was adopted, to the effect that the consent of the President of the United States shall be obtained before the proposed building is erected. The joint resolution was further amended, and was then read a third time and passed—yeas 8, nays 2. On motion by Mr. Thomas Millans, the nomination of Sylvester F. Gates as clerk of the Eastern Market, etc. Michael Comnor, resigned, was taken up and confirmed.

Mr. A. W. Millan introduced a joint resolution authorizing the Mayor to distribute to the poor of this city, on Thanksgiving morning, two thousand loaves of bread and one thousand pounds of good beef, and that the sum necessary to meet the expenditure be appropriated out of the general fund; which was laid on the table.

After some further business, the board adjourned.

Board of Common Conveil.—A communication was received from the Mayor transmitting the report of the in-

BOARD OF COMMON COUNCIL.—A communication was received from the Mayor transmitting the report of the inspector of fire apparatus, and announcing that he had signed sundry bills.

Mr. Monus presented the petition of Agnes Ragan, for the remission of a fine; which was referred to the claims committee.

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Mr. Joses, from the committee of ways and means, reported a joint resolution authorizing legal proceedings to be instituted against John M. McCalla, late city collector, and surelies, for the recovery of \$3,448, the balance alleged to be due from him to the corporation.

After some discussion the resolution was read a third time and passed.

Mr. Turron, from the committee on improvements, reported the petition of Wm. Lenkins and B. F. Moxley, with a bill for their relief; which was read a third time and passed.

Mr. Powrll, from the claims committee, reported the petition of J. M. Lloyd, with a bill for his relief; which was read a third time sad passed.

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Also, a bill for the relief of Patrick Barry; which was read a third time and passed.

Mr. Bourer, from the school committee, reported a bill etting apart \$25,000 annually for school purposes.

Mr. Jones moved to lay the bill on the table; which was egatived-yeas 8, nays 10.

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The bill was then passed—yeas 12, nays 7.

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After which the board adjourned.

The Excitist Opera.—The oponing performance of the New Orleans English Opera Company afforded our citizes as inch treat last evening. Such glowing reports had been performing, that our expectations were raised to a high pitch, but we were not disappointed. Miss Rosalic Durand, the Prima Donna, has a rich and meledious voice, and her acting is charmingly natural and effective; Miss Hodson possesses a voice of remarkable flexibility and companys, and Miss Alak King, as Marcelina, acquitted thereigh the company has been performing that our expectations were raised to employ them; who are also as transparent by use that the most honorable are employ them; who are sentourised with a publical and amount of the prima Donna, has a rich and meledious voice, and her acting is charmingly natural and effective; Miss Hodson possesses a voice of remarkable flexibility and companys, and Miss Alak King, as Marcelina, acquitted the research of the section of the proposed of the public has probably as little doubt as the projector. Whether is ability of supplying the want, he not important the proposed of the public has probably as little doubt as the projector. Whether is ability of supplying the want, he not important the proposed of the public has probably as little doubt as the projector. Whether is ability of supplying the want, he not important the proposed of the public has probably as little doubt as the projector. Whether is ability of supplying the want, he not important the proposed of the public has probable under the public and attractive to be singular. The following onvincer is a public loss, who was the called public and attractive, but the acting contain

have taken the younger and more susceptible portion of our city by storm. Having enjoyed the operatic enter-tainments of this company upon several occasions, we take great pleasure in recommending it to the public."

their new and magnificent store, No. 354 Pennsylvania avenue, next to Brown's Hotel building, where they will open to morrow with an entire new stock of watches, ewelry, silver ware, &c. An establishment of this sort reflects credit upon our city, and shows that industry and perseverance in mercantile pursuits, coupled with unfailing promptitude in meeting engagements and executing orders, are sure to lead to financial success. The Messix. Galt are self-made men, and eminently deserve the patronage of our community.

CLEANING THE STREETS. - Owing to an oversight, the advertisement of the Mayor, inviting proposals for the cleaning of the avenues, streets, alleys, and gutters, the removal of garbage, &c., did not appear in our Sunday morning's paper. We now call particular attention to it, and hope the several contractors may execute their contracts in such a manner as to leave no room for complaint upon

CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO CANAL - During the past week sixty-seven coal boats came down from Cumberland, with an average of 112 tons per boat; and eighteen others came down loaded with wood and country produce. The receipts for tolls at the Georgetown collection office for the ascending trade were \$327, and for the descending \$2,991, amounting in all to \$3,318. No breaks are reported throughout the line.

ORANGE AND ALEXANDRIA RAILEDAD. - The board of directors of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad have deermined to prosecute the work on the Lynchburg extension vigorously, and with that view, at their meeting last week, ordered an increase of the force at present em-ployed on the extension for the purpose of pushing the work to as speedy a completion as possible.

THE BALL OF THE PRESIDENT'S MOUNTED GUARDS, which came off at Odd Fellows' Hall last night, was a delightful affair, and will long be remembered by those who were fortunate enough to participate in the festive scene. The arrangements were made in the most perfect manner, and at the hour of this present writing the lads and lasses are gaily tripping it on the light fantastic toe, to are now removing to their NEW STORE. 35 Feon-yivania ave-nue, between Sixth and Seventh streets, (near Browns' Hotel.) where they will, on Wednesslay, 24th inst., open an entire new stock of line watches, rich jeweiry, pure silver and plated ware, fancy goods, &c., which the public are respectfully invited to examine. Guards !

THANKSGIVING SERMON .- Rev. W. D. Haley

ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS.

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THE CENSOR. A Monthly Review of the Political Press. "DE JUST AND PEAR NOT."

these evils exist is chiefly because the principles of morality are systematically ignored in practical political questions, as irrelevant, and those likewise ignored in questions of morals. The main object will be to demonstrate by current examples that in every instance they are one question; that sound politics is practical morality; that, under popular governments, political action is a moral obligation; that see-paration of morals and politics must tend to corrupt private virtue and subvert public order; that those who set forth public acrivies in a party as ground for reward should be freated as persons who put a price on their virtues and who hold profit to be the proper condition of duty; that men believed to be seeking office should be jealously excluded their virtues and who hold profit to be excused for any motives that they caunct justify in public confession; that "politicals" secrets and confidence are treason against the people; that the political press has the power of reforming the foregoing evils; that editors are generally candid and just in cammon matters of fact and opinion; that it is their general practice to make politics an exception; but if they continue it they are justify chargeable with the consequent deterioration of public worals.

These views will be a unported by reasoning solely upon asimited facts and principles, and by selecting—chiefly from the newspapers—without any element of personal disparagement of special condemnation, appropriate examples, each representative or a class and instances, with evere simplicity the plain rules of justice and common some.

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Our political faith consists of those great doctrines usually incorporated by the democrats in their party platforms, which as Catholic principles shall formmand our support, as shall such other doctrines as the progress of mankind may develop.

It is proposed to issue the first number on the ensuing New Year's day. Pamphlet form. Three dollars a year. Newspapers through out the country are expected to exchange, and are requested to publish this announcement. Afteress

J. M. BINCKLEY, Washington, D. C.

Proposals for the Cleaning of Avenues, Streets, Alleys, and Gutters, the Removal of Garbage

Maton's Overs, Washington, November 19, 1858. PROPOSALS will be received at this office until Tuesday, the 7th of December next, at 12 o'cleck, m., for cleaning and keeping clean the avenues, streets, alleys, gutters, sewers, and traps to the mouths of sewers, the removal and burial of dead animals, and the spreading of disinfectants or deoderizers (the disinfect auts to be furnished by the corporation) in the districts bereimster designated, for one year ending on the 31st of December, 1850.

Proposals will be received for each district separately, and will state the price, and but one price for each district.

It is required that the proposals shall contain a separate bid for the removal of the solid and fluid offils in said districts from the 1st of July to the 31st of December, 1850, inclusive, under such regulations as may be established by the Commissioner of Health; the of-1 to be removed daily from the 1st of July to the 30th of November, and three times a week during December.

The Mayor reserves the right to award constituting a district. The Mayor reserves the right to award one or more districts to a bidder.

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Persons intending to bid are requested to call at the office of the formulassioner of Health, at the City Hall, where they can obtain all necessary information.

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JAMES D. BERRET, Mayor.

THE BAGLEY GOLD PENS, now manufactured and insub improved by Newton, including the "United States pen," the "Commercial," the "medium," the "Ladies" pen, the "short nib," and the large "bank pen," are just recoved by the undersigned, all of the highest grade of material, excellence of workmanship and inish, and will be sold with a guarantee.

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Nov 23.

## AUCTION SALES.

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CATALOGUE SALE OF VALUABLE BOOKS. On Wednesday afternoon, November 24th, at 6 5; octook, at the auction rooms, we shall soil, by extalogue, a collection of valuatib books belonging to his excellence (varietae 2 Althousering, the articles minister, comprising works in the English, Franch, Spanish, flor most, and Portugueses languages, all landscunely bound in bant Paralism style of bindings.

Catalogues may be obtained at the conting rooms.

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By JAS. C. McGUIRE & Co., Auctioneers. PEREMPTORY SALE OF CHOICE BOTTLED Liquors.—On Friday aftermoon, November 196th, at 414 o'clock, we shall sell, for account of whom it may concern, to sover ad-

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DMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF SMALL LOT OF
Choice Wine, &c.—On Friday afternoon, November 28th, at a
sock, at the auction rooms, we shall sell a small lot of choice wines
longing to the estate of the late it. B. Hardin, compering—
Champagne, Madeira, sheriy, claret, and Italia wines
Lot California wine, It's years old
Smail lot brandy, whickey, cherry cordial, cigars, black tea
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